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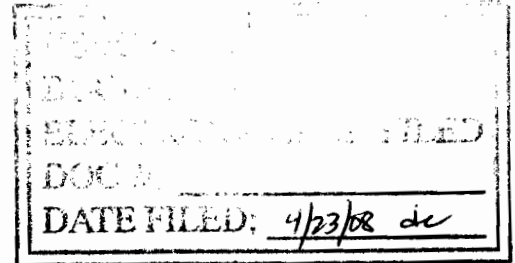
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April 22, 2008

**BY FACSIMILE: (212) 805-6191**

The Honorable Barbara S. Jones  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007



**Re: United States v. Benjamin Fong-Guerra**  
**07 Cr. 1187 (BSJ)**

Dear Judge Jones:

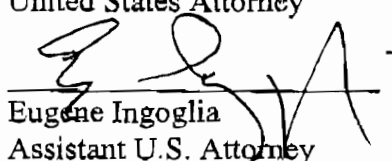
The Government respectfully submits this letter to request jointly with the defense to request an adjournment of the pre-trial conference currently scheduled for April 24, 2008 to a date convenient for the Court after the third week of May, 2008.

The Government also respectfully requests that time be excluded for purposes of the Speedy Trial Act from today through the date of the next conference. The Government makes this request, with the consent of defense counsel, to permit the Government and the defense to continue to pursue discussions regarding a possible disposition without the need for trial.

Respectfully submitted,

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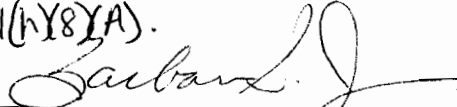
cc: Robert Baum, Esq. (Fax: 212-571-0392)

*Applications granted. The pretrial conference is adjourned to June 12, 2008 at 2:30PM. In the interest of justice for the reason stated above, the period of time from April 24, 2008 to June 12, 2008 is excluded pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(A).*

SO ORDERED

Dated:

*4/23/08*

  
BARBARA S. JONES  
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